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LOK SABHA

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One Stop Centre for Women
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Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the salient features of the scheme for One Stop Centre for women affected by violence along with the facilities available in such centres;
(b) whether the States/UTs have sent some proposals for setting up of such centres under the scheme and if so, the details of proposals received and approved along with the funds released thereunder during 2015-16 and 2016-17, State/UT-wise;
(c) the details of proposals pending with the Government in this regard, State/ UT-wise and the time by which these are likely to be sanctioned;
(d) the details of such centres presently operational in the country and the number of women benefited thereby, State/UT-wise along with the time by which remaining centres are likely to become operational; and
(e) whether the Government has decided to set up such centres in all the districts in the country and changed the name of such centres from Nirbhaya to Sakhi, if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT
(SHRIMATI KRISHANA RAJ)

(a) The Ministry is implementing Scheme for setting up One Stop Centre since 1st April 2015 to support women-affected by violence. The scheme aims to facilitate access to an integrated range of services including medical aid, police assistance, legal aid/case management, psycho-social counselling, temporary support services to women affected by violence.
(b) to (e) Under the scheme, it has been envisaged that One Stop Centres would be set up across the country in phased manner. In the first phase, one Centre was sanctioned per State/UT. Further, 150 additional Centres are taken up in second phase during 2016-17. The Ministry has approved all the proposals received from States/UTs. Out of these, 68 Centres have become operational. The details of funds sanctioned during 2015-16 and 2016-17, State/UT-wise are at Annexure −I.

As these Centres have become operational recently, data regarding number of women assisted have been received only from States of Chhattisgarh, Odisha, Goa, Andhra Pradesh, Chandigarh, Haryana, Meghalaya, Nagaland, Bihar and Uttarakhand. The details are as under:

Sl.No. State/UTs No of Women assisted Report period
1. Chhattishgarh 317 July 2015 - March, 2016
2. Odisha 135 October, 2015 - October, 2016
3. Goa 42 February, 2016 - March, 2016
4. Andhra Pradesh 151 January, 2016 - March, 2016
5. Chandigarh 16 October, 2015 - December, 2015
6. Haryana 190 August, 2015-August, 2016
7 Meghalaya Nil December, 2015
8 Nagaland 49 April, 2016-September, 2016
9 Bihar 20 March, 2016-July, 2016
10 Uttarakhand 129 October, 2016-December, 2016

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